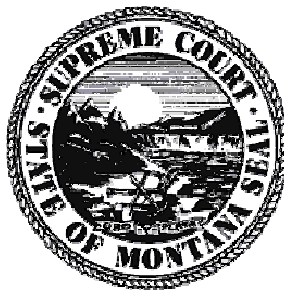


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v.

LINDA KAPSA,

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The DISTRICT COURT RECORD on appeal (4 file folders; 1 env. and two boxes of exhibits; 2 vol. trans. from July 9, 2009 and August 11, 2009) has been received and filed on the above date.

NOTE: If the above constitutes the complete record, the Appellant's opening brief is due 30 days from the above-noted date.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Ed Smith", is written over a horizontal line.

ED SMITH
Clerk of the Supreme Court